

## **Asparagus**

This sheet lists some pesticides used on asparagus. The health symptoms listed may be caused by things other than pesticides. If you feel sick after exposure to pesticides, contact a doctor or clinic.



**Year 2002** 

Pesticide (Brand Name) highly toxic	Product Use Changes Read the Label DO NOT ENTER TREATED AREAS FOR: Reentry intervals will vary by product	Common Symptoms of Acute Poisoning
Dimethoate (Defend)	2 Days	STOMACH DIZZINESS VOMITING WEAKNESS EXCESSIVE SWEATING
Disulfoton (Disyston)	3 Days	STOMACH DIZZINESS WEAKNESS HEADACHES
Diuron (Karmex)	1/2 Day 12 hours	NOSE, EAR, OR THROAT IRRITATION
Glyphosate (Roundup)	1/6 Day 4 hours	NOSE, EAR, OR THROAT IRRITATION
Malathion (Aqua 8)	1/2 Day 12 hours	STOMACH DIZZINESS VOMITING WEAKNESS SWEATING
Metribuzin (Sencor)	1/2 Day 12 hours	NOSE, EAR, OR THROAT IRRITATION
Paraquat (Gramoxone Extra)	1 Day	NOSE, EAR, OR THROAT IRRITATION IRRITATION IRRITATION
Trifluralin (Treflan)	1/2 Day 12 hours	NOSE, EAR, OR THROAT IRRITATION I

If you are exposed to a pesticide spray or drift:

Leave the area



Tell your employer



Immediately wash exposed skin with soap and lots of water



If you get pesticides in your eyes, rinse with clean water for 15 minutes

Change into clean clothes, wash work clothes separately from other clothes



WSDA: Toll Free **1-877-301-4555** L&I Toll Free **1-800-423-7233** 



Leave the area



Tell your employer you feel sick



Go to a doctor or clinic

Have someone go with you

Tell doctor the pesticide name. Your employer must provide this information





Emergency Pesticide Information:
WA Poison Control Center 1-800-222-1222
Pesticide Related Health Concerns:
DOH (Olympia) 360-236-3360